

Nineteen Members Added to C. of C.

Nineteen new members were added to the growing list of the Chamber of Commerce during the week. The total was brought up by an application for ten memberships from the Santa Fe railroad. Other applicants were Brewer Construction company, M. F. Lang, Gardena Bakery company, C. J. Miller, George L. North of Redondo, M. McKenzie Superior Cake company, Torrance Brick company and D. Uneda Packing and Provision company.

SCHOOL NOTES

The five-course dinner banquet prepared by the P. E. A. and served by the sophomore class Friday evening was a most enjoyable affair. Green and yellow balloons were the place cards and a hilarious time ensued when wild efforts were made by all to keep the balloons from being picked by fellow diners. Between courses all joined in the high school songs composed for this occasion. Albert Isenstein was toastmaster and the following program was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Class history, Clifford Simpson; toast to the seniors, Lone Barnett; response, Bertha Fry; class will, Mary Jessome; toast to juniors, Helen Tiffany; toast to Miss M. Jones, Gwendolyn Miller; remarks, Mr. Barnett; toast to faculty, Ruth McKenzie.

Miss Mabee and her class of fifth grade pupils enjoyed a picnic Tuesday afternoon in "Tree Row." They made their own ice cream—three gallons of it. Thursday of this week the high school and grade pupils held a thrift parade through the streets of the city. Those pupils who are depositors in the banks of Torrance were decorated with caps and carried banners. There weren't many who weren't adorned since the Torrance school pupils are very nearly 100 per cent thrifty. Mr. Gray of the Los Angeles clearing house is the advisor of the school savings movement.

The art department, composed of members of the seventh and eighth and high school grades held an exhibit Tuesday afternoon when cartoons, art needlework, commercial, interior decorating and costume designs were shown. At the same time one term's work of the millinery class was exhibited. Hats of all descriptions and styles of every color and shade reflected credit on the instructors. Health posters were the contribution of the cooking class, who served tea during the afternoon.

ERWIN HOTEL

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Schier of Burlington, Iowa, have established themselves in one of the Erwin apartments. Mr. Schier is associated with Frank W. Shedd and company.

Hattie M. Mahery and Miss Cleo Thompson of Yuma, Ariz., are spending some time here. Miss Thompson is a sister of Alvin Thompson, who has been a guest at the Erwin for some time.

Recent arrivals at the Erwin are Messrs. P. R. Benson and H. S. Roush of Lake Park, Iowa. Edward H. Kendall of Los Angeles, a civil engineer with the Santa Fe railway, is a guest here. Miss Mary E. Hunsik of Santa Paula, a visitor here for a few days, has returned to her home.

Messrs. Earl Sherman and Clyde Townsend of Los Angeles are newly arrived guests.

The stores in the Erwin building are being brightened with a fresh coat of paint.

An interesting visitor at the Erwin last Sunday was P. E. Rossetti, the famous violinist and radio artist, whose selections are enjoyed by thousands. Mr. Rossetti had with him the \$1800 instrument presented to him by members of English royalty.

McKINLEY INN

Phillip Padfield, who has been a guest at the Inn, has accepted a position at Santa Paula.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Noland and daughter Gretchen were dinner guests at the Inn Monday.

Mr. Batche, superintendent of the Chanslor-Camfield Midway Oil company, gave a farewell dinner to 39 of his drillers at the Inn Monday night. Mr. Batche leaves for Russia, where he has accepted a very lucrative position. As a token of their esteem for Mr. Batche his friends presented him with a handsome gold watch.

Master Forrest McKinley leaves Saturday to spend the vacation months with relatives at Mount Shasta.

Ten of the Pacific Electric officials were luncheon guests at the Inn Tuesday.

Harold Melhelm visited friends in Long Beach Sunday.

LOMITA COMMUNITY CHURCH

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject: "True Patriotism." Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "Matthew, the Publican." Fifteen minute organ recital.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. L. J. Hunter, superintendent.

The Christian Endeavor meetings will be omitted on account of the Long Beach convention. Come and worship with us.

DAILY BIBLE SCHOOL

Are you signed up for the Daily Vacation Bible School? It begins Monday, July 2, at 9 a. m. at the Lomita Community church. Competent teachers have been secured. They are making plans for an instructive and interesting school. It will continue for four weeks, closing July 27. The hours are from 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.

VISTA HIGHLANDS

Fred Beckwith of Watts, formerly of Arlington avenue, who has been ill with neuritis, is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Spritzer were guests Sunday of old friends from Canada, who are now living in Santa Ana.

Mrs. Harold S. Lyon of Carson street visited friends in Los Angeles Monday.

T. J. Wilkes joined a party of 11 friends on a hunting trip last week-end. The party motored a few miles north of Palmdale and bagged 160 rabbits. Everybody in the Wilkes neighborhood enjoyed rabbit the first of this week.

Mrs. Roy Pickersil, who has been quite ill at her home on Carson street, is reported much better.

T. J. Wilkes was a business visitor to Los Angeles Tuesday.

MACCABEE NOTES

The regular meeting of Torrance Review was held in Catholic hall Friday, June 22. Mrs. Steinhilber who has just returned from her Marathon trip, gave a very interesting report of the supreme convention in San Francisco. Of special interest to the local Review was the reelection of Miss Bina M. West, supreme commander. Mrs. Minnie Aydelotte, lieutenant supreme commander, and Miss Frances D. Partridge, supreme record keeper.

The Marathon social will be held Friday evening, June 29, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Gay, 1719 Arlington avenue. Every member is cordially invited to come and bring a friend.

METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Morris will deliver a patriotic address Sunday evening on "One Hundred Per Cent Americanism." At the open forum just preceding the address others will have opportunity to express their minds on some national issues. There will be a program of patriotic song.

The junior chorus will sing at the morning service.

All the services are held at the American Legion hall.

Sunday school at 9:45. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

IRONTON HOTEL

Newcomers to Torrance who have registered at the Ironton during the past few days include Mr. and Mrs. Roy Givn, San Francisco; F. Shell and A. C. Baker, Ranger, Texas; D. J. McDonald, Seattle; Carrie Smith, La Habra; Charlie Kispin, Edmonton, Canada; A. K. Wallace, El Segundo; V. R. Watson, Whittier; Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Quinlan and daughter, Pendleton, Ore.; J. E. Ross, Huntington Beach; Miss H. Olson, Miss Bessie Nelson; Tom Ballard, P. Bailey, Tom Larkin and A. M. Clarke, of Los Angeles.

CAMP FIRE NOTES

The regular weekly meeting of Wohelo Camp was held at the home of Ruth Boice, Cabrillo avenue, Tuesday evening.

A swimming party is planned for this evening (Friday) at Redondo Beach and all the girls are looking forward to a good time.

The camp was presented with its charter, which is very beautiful.

The girls are having an interesting time choosing their official names and symbols.

LAFALOT CLUB

Mrs. McMaster of Cota avenue was hostess Monday evening to the Lafalot club, and served a delicious lunch at the close of the evening. The first, second and third prizes were won respectively by Mrs. A. W. Meinzer, Mrs. Roy McFarland and Mrs. J. R. Sach.

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Southwest C. of C. Plans Big Fourth

Athens-on-the-Hill will celebrate the Fourth with a big celebration. An elaborate program of free events will include a barbecue, dancing, races, fireworks in the evening.

The celebration will be under the auspices of the Southwest Chamber of Commerce.

Athens-on-the-Hill is at the corner of 120th and Hoover streets.

Redondo Has Big Program for Fourth

Special Fourth of July attractions are booked for the entertainment of visitors at Redondo Beach Wednesday. The holiday program will be featured by novelty vaudeville, band concerts, singing and special entertainers. There will be a great fireworks display. The Redondo Beach Elks club will stage a barbecue and special entertainment at the clubhouse.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF TORRANCE

Rev. J. W. Green will preach next Sunday morning and evening on the following subjects: "A Great Name" and "Things That Last."

To the Torrance "Non Church Goer":

Don't you think a quiet hour of rest appealing? Can't you tear yourself away from the old world for a short time? Have you ever stopped to think of salvation and what it means for your soul? Come to our church where you are always welcome and hear for yourself.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Bring the children.

Morning service 11 o'clock.

Young People 6:45 p. m.

Evening song service 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Wilmington, Calif. Rev. Thomas P. Swift, Rector. Organist, Miss Mildred Merwin. Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.

Sermon topic, "Our Future Glory." All are welcome.

KEYSTONE BIBLE SCHOOL

Beginning June 3, the Keystone Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m. in the new Community Hall on the east side of Main street, about a block south of Carson street. Trained teachers for all ages. Everybody invited. Come and bring the children. A short preaching service will follow.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Catholic services will be held the third and fourth Sunday of every month at 8 a. m., the other Sundays at 9:30 a. m. at the Torrance Catholic hall on North Cota.

The Right Reverend Bishop W. Bertrand Stevens, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Los Angeles, was a visitor to Torrance on Saturday on matters concerning the Episcopal church in Torrance.

Morris Bilbro's neighbors all enjoyed a fish dinner after his return from a fishing trip last Friday.

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THE ATTENTION OF EVERYBODY THE SECRET IS OUT— The Torrance Exposition and Fiesta will be held July 31 to Aug. 4 Inclusive It will be agreeable to those in charge to have everyone in Torrance write their friends and let them know the dates. We wanted the Torrance people to know first so every one could boost.

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